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Working Fund Account—£23,970,367

Revenue Fire Branch—£2,381,456

Life and Annuity—£2,141,583

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Other Receipts—£78,940

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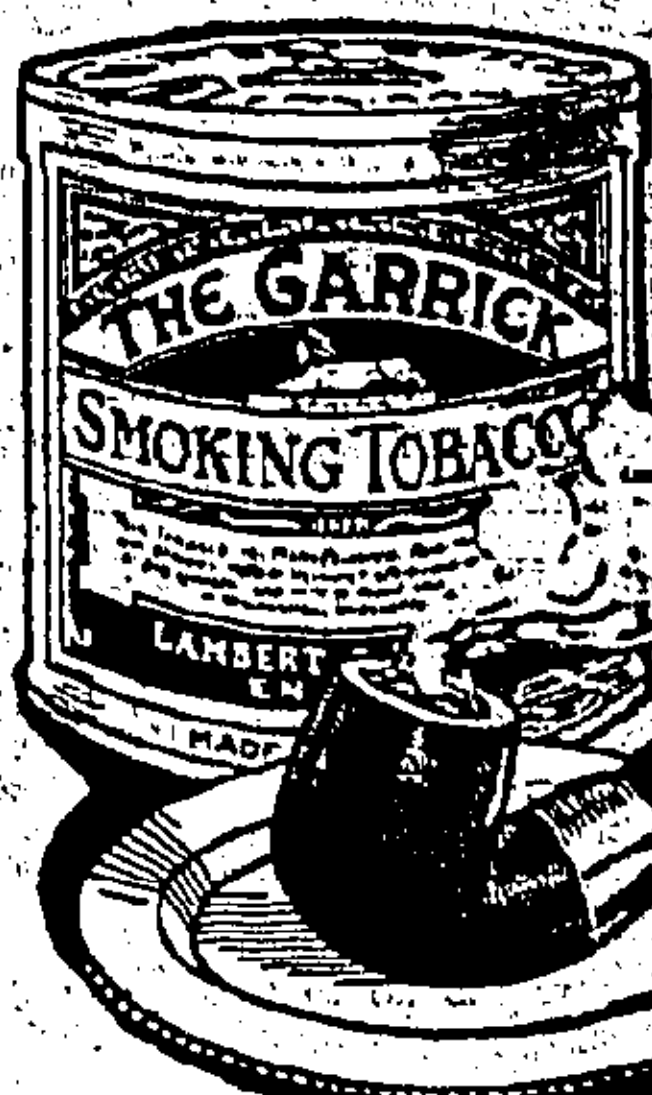
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TO COMMEMORATE THE DEAD.

In the German Press much space is
devoted to discussing the best form which
the home monuments to dead soldiers
will take.

There seems to be a general aversion
to the system followed after the war of
1870-71. Every town, important or in-
significant, secured its "Krieger Denk-
mal," or its statue of Wilhelm I, or
Bismarck or Moltke, hardly one of which
has any pretension to artistic merit. But
they were all big and bulky, with much
stone and bronze, much gruesome orna-
mentation. They were stuck up in "mar-
ket squares or public gardens all over
the empire, and in hardly a single case
was there a vestige of inspiration or real
feeling. A writer in the "Deutsche
Tageszeitung" is sick of them all, and
remarks that they were they all taken down
from their ridiculous pedestals, now that
copper is so scarce, and melted into guns
and munitions they would serve a far
better purpose than they serve now.

With regard to the future, the most
popular proposal for commemorating the
dead is the formation of a "Hain," or
grove, to be called the "Heldenhain,"
or Heroes' Grove.

We are told that these groves are
altogether a German conception, and that
they existed in the most remote periods
of antiquity. They must be of oak in
accordance with the ancient tradition.

Each dead soldier is to have an oak
planted in his memory. The oaks would
be planted in a circle, with a space in
the middle, in which a temple or pergo-
la might be built. In the old German
forests the priests used to utter their
incantations after listening to the rust-
ling of the oak leaves in the wind.

If a community should think that the
idea of a pergo or temple smack rather
of paganism, a lime tree (linde) might be
planted in the centre of the grove. This
would be called the Peace Linden, or the
Friser's Linden. And just as the oak
symbolises German martial power, so
does the linden remind the Germans of
domestic peace. Our forefathers re-
garded the linden as sacred.

Round the Hain, and sheltering it from
the wind and the dust, there must be a
thick, high hedge, an orderly, well-
arranged range of red-thorn, wild rose,
elder, and honeysuckle. The birds will
nest here, and, evenings, when the com-
munity go up (the Hain must be on an
elevation) to remember their dead or
think of the glory of their Fatherland,
it will be pleasant to hear their joyful
chiralling in the thickets and listen to
the whispering of the oaks.

MERCANTILE OFFICERS AND FIRST
AID CERTIFICATES.

For some time past the Imperial Mer-
chant Service Guild have been in cor-
respondence with the St. John Ambu-
lance Association concerning examina-
tions for First Aid Certificates which
must be obtained by Officers in the
Merchant Service before they can sit for
Board of Trade examinations. Two
cases were brought to the notice of the
Guild where young Officers already hold-
ing Board of Trade certificates could not
be examined for higher grade certificates
on the ground that they would have to
attend a course of lectures. As they
were attached to steamers engaged on
important war service their stay in port
did not admit of their fulfilling this
obligation consequently their promotion
has been retarded.

The Association now inform the Guild
that the Board of Trade will, during the
war, accept a First Aid Certificate
which, though otherwise valid, is more
than three years old, if the holder has
been prevented from renewing it by
reason of the exigencies of the war ser-
vice.

Furthermore, any holder of the First
Aid Certificate may present himself to
the Association's Official Examiner at
any port and can be re-examined at de-
scribed to the production of his "green
certificate" and one year having elapsed
since the date of his previous examina-
tion.

"THE ENGLISH MIRACLE."

GLOWING TRIBUTE BY M.
CLEMENTEAU.

M. Clemenceau, the redoubtable French
statesman and editor of that most pun-
gent of newspapers, "L'Homme En-
chaîné," contributes a remarkable preface
to the French translation of a book
describing Great Britain's effort in the
war, by M. Jules Destree, the Belgian
Socialist deputy.

M. Destree gives almost unmeasured
praise to the British nation; M. Clemenceau
endorses his eulogy with en-
thusiasm, and his endorsement has a
special value as M. Clemenceau is the
most typical Frenchman of this day.
He frankly takes a purely French
standpoint, and starts by stating the
French "will-to-win." From that stand-
point and by that aim England is ap-
proved for what she has done and is
doing.

"This war," he writes, "is not being
waged for the possession of a town, or a
province, or a colony. We are fighting
for our freedom, for the existence of our
race."
"Monsieur Destree, in the book before
us, tells us about England, about her
naval and military effort, the resolution
that inspire her, and he tells us the
finest and most comforting things.

"England did not want war; one must
repeat this in her praise, but one must
add, alas, to her confusion, that she did
not at all foresee it. But for the vio-
lation of Belgian neutrality no one can
say when she would have drawn the
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German nettle has had to be torn up, her
soldiers have turned up their sleeves and
cleared the field.

Fleet because it has been able, without
stirring, without firing a gun-shot, to
annihilate the German menace, to
blockade the enemy, to assure supplies
for our armies. It is true; though silent,
its mounting guard is none the less full
of grandeur.
"But the English miracle is not there.
The English miracle has not been
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THE DIARY.

MEMO. FOR TO-DAY
9.15 p.m.—Cinematograph Performance in aid of War Charities at Peak Club.

MEMOS FOR TO-MORROW.
Prince of Wales' Birthday (1894).
2.30 p.m.—Auction of Sewing Machine, at Messrs. Hughes and Hough's.
3 p.m.—Auction of Household Furniture, Blackwood Ware, New Mattings etc. at Messrs. Hughes and Hough's.

General Memoranda.

SATURDAY, June 24—Midsummer Day.
SUNDAY, June 25—9 a.m.—Excursion to Macao by S.S. "Taihan".
MONDAY, June 26—2.30 p.m.—Auction of Chinese Porcelain, Screens, Drones, Curios etc. at Messrs. Hughes and Hough's.
3 p.m.—Sale of Crown Land at Public Works Department.
WEDNESDAY, June 28—Movies close for Gymkhana on July 8th.
Hongkong Stock Exchange Settlement Day.
4 p.m.—Election of a Justice of the Peace for the Licensing Board.
Police Reserve Concert at Victoria Theatre.
SATURDAY, July 1—Bank Holiday.
SATURDAY, July 8—3.45 p.m.—Third Gymkhana of the Season at Race Course, Happy Valley.

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THE SITUATION IN KWANGTUNG.

The incident reported in last night's "China Mail" of the bombardment of Shui Chow, near Canton, because the city had failed to furnish \$120,000 demanded by the officer in command, illustrates the danger which threatens in those provinces of China where large bodies of revolutionary troops are still held together without any means of maintenance. It is an incident which confirms a widespread suspicion that the position in Kwangtung is by no means satisfactory. Chinese Press reports tell us that the President has earnestly urged the Military Governor of the Province and the Generalissimo of the revolutionary troops (who forced the Military Governor to declare the independence of the province) to compose their differences in the interests of the general welfare of the province. What is the nature of these differences? On that point there is an absence of official statement, but the grounds of difference are fairly obvious. There cannot be two kings in the province. We may reasonably assume that the Military Governor desires the disbandment of Shui's troops, which are a palpable menace to the peace and good government of the province; and Shui's apparently is not prepared at present to acquiesce. We notice that the "Intelligence Bureau of the Republican Government of China," in Shanghai, gave out the information last week that newspaper reports of Hunan, Chekiang and Kwangtung's cancellations of their independence, are unfounded. "These provinces," it said, "along with the other independent provinces, have pledged their support to President Li; but insist that the Constitution of the First Year of the Republic be revised; and the National Assembly reconvened before they could cancel their independence." Even provinces like Hunan, Kiangsu, are all patiently awaiting the consummation of these steps. It appears that the new President, after consulting the Provinces, has decided to issue a Mandate reviving the Constitution of the First Year of the Republic; and is also prepared to reconvene the Parliament, but in this matter, certain details remain to be discussed and settled before the date of the convocation of Parliament can be fixed. The earliest date we have seen mentioned is September. If these irregular troops are to be kept together by their leaders until Parliament actually meets, the incident at Shui Hing—the Headquarters of the Revolutionary Generalissimo—indicates what we may expect. As the Provinces which revolted against the continuance in office of YUAN SHIH KAI had sufficient confidence in the Republican faith of General LI YUEN HUNG as to appoint him the Head of their own Provisional Government, it is difficult to understand why, in the interests of the peace and general welfare of the country, they do not now obey his behests, and repossess him the

complete confidence they professed before YUAN SHIH KAI's tragically sudden death called him to the seat of the Chief Executive. The situation is somewhat puzzling. When the Republican leaders at Shanghai refer to "the Intelligence Bureau of the Republican Government of China" what Government do they mean? The nature of their communications makes it clear that they do not mean the Government in Peking, of which LI YUEN HUNG is the lawfully constituted head. Apparently, too, they are not referring to the Military Government of the four Provinces which was set up in Canton and which declared LI YUEN HUNG to be the lawfully constituted President of the Republic, and YUAN SHIH KAI a usurper. Evidently "the Republican Government of China" to which this "Intelligence Bureau" belongs, is a third body, with headquarters at Shanghai. Obviously, the first step towards peace must be an agreement to recognise a single Government for China—that is to say the Government at Peking. We imagine that the whole difficulty now is a financial one, viz. how to disperse the bandits who have been organised by the revolutionaries, without handing the provinces over to anarchy and plunder. It is evident from the Shui Chow incident that they are badly in need of funds—and apparently the only means of obtaining them is by plunder.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The Charity cinematograph performance at the Peak Club takes place to-night.

To-morrow is the Prince of Wales' birthday. His Royal Highness was born in 1894.

Sir A. Wood Renton, Lady Wood Renton and the two Misses Wood Renton are passengers by the S.S. "Nellora" from Colombo to Japan.

SERIOUS DEVELOPMENTS IN KWANGTUNG.

OPERATIONS OF YUNNANESE TROOPS.

SECTIONS OF CANTON-HANKOW RAILWAY TURN UP.

The Canton papers report that Li Lit Chun, the Chief Commander of the 2nd Regiment of Yunnan troops, has seized Shui Chow city and all the telegraphic and railway stations. A section of the Canton-Hankow Railway, in Pa Kong, has been removed in order to prevent the Canton troops from moving North, and another section has been removed by the Canton military force for fear that Li's troops should come South. It is reported that after a military council held at the yamen of the Military Governor of Canton, about 1,000 soldiers have been despatched to the North.

CENTRAL POLICE STATION EXTENSION.

An extension to the existing Police Station and details of the scheme were laid before a special meeting of the Public Works Committee on March 15th last, the report of the committee being presented to the Council this afternoon.

The Chairman informed the Committee that the whole of the property formerly known as Inland Lot No. 3 had been resumed by Government at a cost of over \$240,000 and that it was now proposed to utilize practically the whole of this area for the erection of a large block of offices, recreation rooms, dormitories, etc., in connection with the Central Police Station. He submitted plans showing that the proposed building would be four storeys in height and that, owing to the difference in level between Hollywood Road and the compound of the Police Station, the two lower storeys whilst standing above the level of Hollywood Road, would be almost entirely below the level of the compound. The plans showed that, in addition to the entrance hall and staircase, the two lower storeys would contain a large gymnasium, recreation rooms, a reading room, with bar attached, three rooms for the Police Reserve, a changing room, an armory, three store-rooms and a kitchen for Indian constables, besides extensive lavatory accommodation for Europeans, Indians and Chinese. The main floor, which was approximately the Station compound, would contain offices for the Assistant Superintendent of Police, the Chief Inspector and the clerical staff, a large room for detectives, an apartment for finger print records, two detention rooms, a dormitory for Indian constables, and a certain lavatory accommodation. The top floor would contain dormitories for 22 Indian constables and 102 Chinese constables, together with the necessary mess rooms and kitchens and a scullery. Two alternative designs for the principal elevation, fronting on Hollywood Road, were submitted.

HONGKONG LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

A meeting of the Legislative Council was held this afternoon.

H.E. the Governor, Sir F. HENRY MAY, K.C.M.G., presided. There were also present:

H.E. Major-General F. VENTRIS, General Officer Commanding.

The Colonial Secretary, Hon. Mr. CLAUD SEVERN.

The Acting Colonial Treasurer, Hon. Mr. E. D. C. WOLFE.

The Attorney-General, Hon. Mr. J. H. KEMP.

The Director of Public Works, Hon. Mr. W. CHYTHAM, C.M.G.

The Secretary for Chinese Affairs, Hon. Mr. E. R. HALLIFAX.

The Captain Supdt. of Police, Hon. Mr. McI. MASSER.

Hon. Mr. Wei YUK, C.M.G.

Hon. Mr. H. P. POLLOCK, K.C.

Hon. Mr. E. SHELLEN.

Hon. Mr. LAU CHU PAU.

Hon. Mr. P. H. HOLYOAK.

Mr. A. G. M. FLETCHER, Clerk of Councils.

BATHING FACILITIES.

The Hon. Mr. H. P. POLLOCK, K.C., asked:—Will the Government provide, at an early date, the same facilities to the public for bathing at North Point and West Point as last year?

The COLONIAL SECRETARY read the following reply:—Instructions were given in the middle of April to provide such facilities, at an estimated cost of \$500. \$130 has been provided in the Estimates for the wages of two watchmen.

GERMAN TRADE MARKS.

Hon. Mr. P. H. HOLYOAK, asked:—1. Will the Government state whether the registration in Hongkong of any German trade marks has been renewed since the outbreak of War?

2. Assuming that the registration of any such trade marks has been renewed, will the Government state what firms have been granted renewals and whether instructions will now be given for the cancellation of any such renewals?

3. Will the Government give instructions that all German trade marks registered in this Colony shall be cancelled, or at any rate that no further renewals of the registration thereof shall be granted during the present War?

The COLONIAL SECRETARY replied:—The registration of 133 trade marks belonging to enemy firms has been renewed since the outbreak of war. These trade marks belong to the following firms:—

The Badische Anilin & Soda Fabrik, Siemens and Company.

Carl Bodiker and Company.

Meyerling and Company and W. and C. Danlop.

Arnhold, Karberg and Company.

Melchers and Company.

Ferd Bernemann.

This Government does not propose to issue instructions on the lines suggested by the Honourable Member. As far as is known, a policy of cancellation of trade marks has not been adopted in any British Possession or in Germany, and it would hardly be opportune to initiate such a measure in this Colony where the value of a trade mark depends largely upon its use in China.

ALIEN ENEMIES BUSINESS.

An Ordinance to amend further the Alien Enemies (winding-up) Ordinance 1914 was read a first time on the introduction of the Attorney-General.

The amendment deals with points which have arisen in the course of the liquidations and others which may arise hereafter.

NEW ENEMY TRADING PROVISIONS.

The ATTORNEY-GENERAL moved the First Reading of a Bill intituled an Ordinance to amend further the Trading with the Enemy Ordinance 1914 which provides for the introduction of the provisions of the Trading with the Enemy Amendment Act, 1915, and 3 Geo. 5, c. 105, with the exception of certain provisions which appear to be unnecessary. It gives the Governor power to cancel contracts with enemy subjects which are injurious to the public interest; gives the Governor power to vest in the Custodian any property belonging either to an enemy or to an enemy subject, and enables the Governor to confer on the Custodian such powers of dealing with such property as he may think fit. It also gives power to wind up any company registered in the Colony which has traded with the enemy through some branch or agent outside the Colony. It is intended to make it quite clear that the Custodian of enemy property, like every other person in the Colony, requires the permission of the Governor before he can make any payment to an enemy subject.

CONTROLLING POISONS.

The ATTORNEY-GENERAL moved the First Reading of a Bill intituled "An Ordinance to consolidate and amend the law relating to the Registration of Pharmaceutical Chemists and to the Regulation of the Sale and Use of Poisons."

The objects and reasons stated that the law as to poisons is greatly in need of consolidation, and the provisions of Part III. of Ordinance No. 22 of 1903, relating to the injection of morphine, were not re-enacted when that Ordinance was repealed by Ordinance No. 1 of 1914. The Bill accordingly repeals and consolidates certain Ordinances.

THE REGISTRATION BILL.

The ATTORNEY-GENERAL moved the third reading of a Bill intituled an Ordinance to provide for the Registration of Certain Persons.

The COLONIAL SECRETARY seconded and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

THE FINANCIAL CHARGES.

The COLONIAL SECRETARY moved the First Reading of a Bill intituled an Ordinance to authorize the Appropriation of a Supplementary Sum of \$3,947,027.41 to defray the charges of the Year 1915, the sum so charged being expended as specified:—

Miscellaneous Services \$812,731.73

Kowloon-Canton Railway 3,086,100.56

Charges on Account of Public Debt 55,151.86

Pensions 31,040.40

Charitable Services 11,894.81

Total \$3,947,027.41

The COLONIAL SECRETARY said he would make some remarks on the charges of the second reading. In the meantime he would refer hon. members to the report of the Finance Committee for 1915 which had just been laid on the table where they would find in paragraph 4 a very full explanation of the larger supplementary expenditure required last year.

The COLONIAL TREASURER seconded and the bill was read a first time.

FINANCIAL VOTES.

The Governor recommended the Council to vote the following sums:—

\$1,323.39 in aid of the lighthouses and lights and the installation of an Arg light at Cape Collinson.

\$814 in aid of the Peak School, furniture for quarters.

\$7,400 in aid of Telephone cable across the harbour.

\$19,800.81 in aid of the motor Fire Engine and Pump at the Fire Brigade Station.

\$1,457.55 in aid of the Wireless Telegraph Station.

The votes were approved by the Finance Committee and passed.

TOURNAMENT TROPHIES.

OLD-FASHIONED IDEAS AND RECREATION.

The Billiard Challenge Cup and prizes, the United Services Football League Shield and the Hongkong Hockey Shield were presented to the successful winners by H.E. the Officer Commanding, Major-General Ventriss, at the Soldier's Club last night.

An exhibition billiard match, between Sergt. Pitt of the Hongkong Police and Sergt. Barker, one of the finest players in the Garrison, was won by the former who scored 250 while his opponent made 175. The winner's highest break was 38.

The prizes were then presented as under:—

Garrison Billiard Challenge Cup (presented by the Hongkong Volunteers)—Winners, Royal Engineers: Runners-up (silver cup), 87th Company, R.G.A.; Highest Break, Sapper Walker, R.E., with 37 (prize presented by Lieut. Thornhill, H.K.V.R.).

Soldiers' Club Billiard Challenge Cup—Winners, Hongkong Police and Wardens (Cup and gold medals): Runners-up (silver cup), 87th Company, R.G.A.; Highest Break, Sergt. Pitt, H.K.V.R., with 60 (prize presented by Sergt. Major C. Boud H.K.V.R.).

The United Services Football League Shield was handed to Corp. Coxon who is the Captain of the R.E. team.

The Hockey League Shield was presented to Mr. Dyer Ball, on behalf of the Hongkong Volunteers.

An expression of thanks to the General for his presence and for contributing the awards was voiced by Mr. J. V. Franks, Assistant Superintendent of Police (Reserve) who said he was proud that the Police and the Wardens had carried off the Soldiers' Club Billiard Cup. The dominating factor in their success was undoubtedly the play of Sergt. Pitt. "You cannot get away from Sergt. Pitt," he concluded. "He is foremost in billiards; if you go out target shooting you find him on the range; if there is a dog show you find Sergt. Pitt there, while at a boxing show he would be found officiating at the go." (Laughter.)

H.E. Major-General Ventriss said he regarded as a high compliment the opportunity to present those awards. He enlarged Sergt. Pitt as a billiard player and thought there was no reason why Sergt. Pitt, if he went wholly in for the game, should not be a Robert.

"I was taught when I was a young fellow," proceeded the General, "that lay the doors of a billiard room there, lay the devil. (Laughter.) I was told it was a place where young fellows learned to drink, smoke, and sweat. Well, if those old-fashioned people had been present to-night, they would have seen no drink at all—I did not—very little smoking, and no sweating. Fortunately the Admiralty and War Office have never thought like these old-fashioned people for many years now, and no Mess or Institute is thought to be properly equipped unless it has a billiard table. Billiards was, of course, the King of indoor games and he looked upon those tournaments as being very useful because a man who was keen knew perfectly well that he must keep within the bounds of moderation, both in smoking and drinking, or he would be off his real form." Robert himself at his best, he said, was a great rival. Cook, went to Australia and there he fell before the hands of a young fellow named Macdonald, who was not a member of the Colony, and was not a member of the Garrison.

Heavy chess was given the General at the command of Mr. C. V. Franks.

THE TEACHER'S STORY.

REMARKABLE DEFENCE IN KIDNAPPING TRIAL.

The defence of Ip Wan, the school teacher, indicted before the Acting Chief Justice and a jury on counts of kidnapping three sons of a wealthy Chinese merchant of Hongkong was opened to-day.

The Crown throughout the trial was represented by the Attorney General, the Hon. Mr. J. H. Kemp, while the accused had the assistance of Mr. F. C. Jenkin, who was instructed by Mr. Leo D'Almada.

The Court was again packed, a large percentage of the attendance comprising Chinese ladies. Not for a long time has a Sessions case aroused such keen interest.

Counsel obtained the permission of the Court to question the sister of the kidnapped boys about the school.

Witness said she did not notice during the four visits she made that the scholars were becoming fewer and fewer. Counsel did not propose at this stage to criticize as he would do severally when the time came—the story for the prosecution. He would put the accused into the box and she would tell the jury as to the taking of the children to Macao. Counsel said he had the privilege of seeing the accused in the cells yesterday. He said "privilege" because the mere fact that she was in the dock between two policemen did not affect her position in the view of people who sat in the Court and she was as privileged there as if she had a seat at his side. He would ask the jury to watch the accused and he believed they would be struck—extremely struck—with the very straightforward manner in which she would give her evidence and the way in which she would answer every conceivable question. The story put up against her would, Counsel thought, properly criticised, fall to the ground. He felt it was incumbent upon him to tell her to meet that story and in order to meet that story she was in a very different position to the prosecution who depicted that she kidnapped three children who were admittedly endeared to her as she to them.

The Attorney General disputed the statement.

Counsel said they had it in evidence that the children called her with a pet name "Sam-ka." He could not imagine any human being, Chinese or otherwise, calling by a pet name anyone they hated. The Attorney General might convince the jury that it was so, but that was not his own experience.

Counsel at the conclusion of his speech said he was informed that a lady at the back of the court was using a pair of opera glasses.

His Lordship ordered the woman to give them up.

Mr. Jenkin, addressing the jury, said it could not honestly be conceived that a woman who was fraudulently going to smuggle three children out of the Colony, would obtain leave for the children, or that she would have sent a message to the father that the children would not be home that night. If she had taken the children to return and visit their father's house it was monstrous to suggest that a "kid" like the accused could possibly have been a knowing party to a crime of that kind. She must, be the most consummate, the biggest rogue for her age that ever walked the streets of Hongkong if the jury believed that she had any participation in a crime of that kind. After an examination of the evidence Counsel thought the jury would come to the conclusion that there were many liars in the Lam family; they were lying for some extraordinary purpose; they lied time and again.

Accused gave her age as 20 years, and said she had been an assistant teacher at the Shelley Street school for about six months. She had frequently visited the house of the boys concerned in this case and had seen the father there, but had not spoken to him. She had spoken to the mother. The children were rather intelligent and she took a liking to them. Accused's sister also visited the children's house and their married sisters and the three boys visited her (accused's) house. She took the children to Macao and leave was obtained for herself and the children. She accused leave that day before, telling the headmaster that she was going on a visit to the Yuk Pan's house at Macao and that she would return the following day. The Yuk Pan was an acquaintance on both sides. He was an intimate friend of the headmaster's.

"When we got on board I said to the eldest boy 'Have you told your father you were going to Macao to-day?' and he answered that he told his father last night. I also asked the second boy who said he told his father last night. I said 'That won't do; you must go and tell him to-day.' The eldest boy and the younger boy were unwilling to go. The second boy was willing and she gave him 20 cents.

The Attorney General interposed stating that this aspect of the story was not divulged in cross-examination.

Mr. Jenkin said that any comment the Attorney General might make would be better reserved until afterwards.

The Attorney General said that was the usual practice.

Accused, continuing her statement, said she did send a message that she would keep the boys overnight. The Yuk Pan went about that boat. She really went at his invitation. She was made on March 8th. The Yuk Pan invited her to his family house at Macao and she said that on the 8th, the children so well the night after, then for the trip. She obtained leave from the headmaster and told the boys to get ready from their father's house.

AT MACAO THEY WENT TO A CINEMA

and then to a restaurant. She said she would rather go back to the house as she had a headache. The children asked her to take them to a restaurant. Accused went to bed and woke up at midnight and found the children had not returned at 6 a.m. She commented to the servant on their non-return and at 7 a.m. she went out to look for them and visited the S.S. "Chien Chow" and the S.S. "Sui Tai" but the children were not there. On March 11th she returned to Hongkong and went to the school. She asked the headmaster if the three boys had returned and received "a negative answer. She then went to the house and saw the married daughter and asked her if the boys had come back and she said 'What! you have taken them away and come to ask if they have come back?' Accused said she became distressed and returned to the school and related to the headmaster what had happened. She went to the house again the same day and saw the father who said he would hold her responsible. She said she would go with him to the authorities and make her explanation there; it was not her fault. He said 'Very well, let it stop at that, and I will make enquiries in the meantime.'

Accused, questioned as to her statement at the Police Station, denied that she said she had been taught to do that to raise money for the revolution. When she was in the charge room she felt distressed and cried. The father produced some letters to the Inspector on duty and said he had received them, demanding money for the release of the boys. It was then she said 'Now I know what has happened.'

Accused denied that she said to the boys that she was going to take them to Yunnan to see the races.

Interrogated by the Attorney General, accused said she paid the fares to Macao.

The Attorney General—it was kind of him.

Accused—I don't think it very kind of him now.

The hearing after the fifth adjournment was not resumed until 8.45 owing to the Attorney General having to be present at the meeting of the Legislative Council.

The Attorney General said he did not intend playing up to the feelings of the jury. Counsel for the defence had been very much moved by the appearance in the docks of a little girl but the Attorney General reminded the jury that accused was a married woman and after they had seen her in the box he thought they would come to the conclusion that she was quite able to take care of herself. Counsel's attitude towards the Lam family was entirely different; he represented them as oppressive and a criminal lot of people bound together in a conspiracy to send the accused to jail.

If a story such as had been deposed for the defence could get the accused off then no child attending school in Hongkong would be safe.

The Acting Chief Justice, in his summing up said that when the accused was before the Police Court she was there on an indictable offence and was not at liberty to waste the time of the Court in making a long statement in defence.

The jury returned a verdict of 'Not Guilty' and prisoner was discharged.

CHINESE AFFAIRS.

(Wah Tse Yat Po's Service.)

FOREIGN LOAN CONTEMPLATED.

PEKING, June 21.

Tao Ting Kong has been appointed a Special Delegate to consult with the Quintuple Bank Group with a view to raising a big loan.

PROPOSED CHINESE BANK AMALGAMATION.

PEKING, June 21.

The Government has decided to amalgamate the Bank of China and the Bank of Communications, and to call it the Central Bank.

THE LATE MONARCHICAL AGITATION.

PEKING, June 21.

Two of the sons of the late Yuan Shih KAI have requested the Government to punish the promoters of the late monarchical agitation.

CLOSING SHARE QUOTATIONS.

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THE WAR.

TO-DAY'S TELEGRAMS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

BRITISH AEROPLANE RAID AT EL ARISH.

MANY ENEMY MACHINES DESTROYED.

LONDON, June 21.

An official statement says:—On the 19th inst. eleven of our aeroplanes bombed the enemy aerodrome, camps and troops at El Arish. They destroyed two aeroplanes on the ground, killing the pilot, observer and mechanic. One, which was about to fly, was burned. They damaged the hangars and at least five other aeroplanes were destroyed.

We lost three aeroplanes, but all the pilots were saved.

RUSSIAN GUNNERS AS CAVALRY.

Petrograd, June 21.

The dash work of the horse artillery mentioned in a recent communication was at Zolotshchiki (almost due north of Czernowitz). When the enemy was driven out of positions and fleeing in disorder, a Russian battery commander, as no cavalry were available, dispatched sixty mounted gunners. Forty of them captured the retreating infantry and captured 150 of them. The remaining twenty stopped a fleeing Austrian battery. The latter made a stout defence with revolvers and carbines and their commander was killed, and the horses and gun-tugs wiped out before the battery surrendered. Only three Russians were killed.

THE IRISH DIFFICULTY.

THE RECONCILIANTS CONDEMNED.

LONDON, June 21.

The Irish difficulty is deplored. The general feeling is that the prosecution of the war should be the first consideration.

The attitude of the southern Irish Unionists, which is attributed to the belief that disloyalty is reviving, is regarded as most regrettable, as it is understood that Mr. Lloyd George's scheme conceded them the inclusion of thirty representatives in the Irish House of Commons.

The Daily Mail says the difficulty is delaying the appointment of a successor to Lord Kitchener. The public is impatient at the pettifoggery politicians and it urges Mr. Asquith to put his foot down.

The Times denounces the disloyalists and says they are likely to come into line as Mr. Lloyd George's proposals are supported by an important body of Unionists.

The Daily News says the Ulster members of the House of Commons do not sympathise with the reconciliants. Sir Edward Carson snubbed all English Unionists who urged the Unionist Forwarl Committee to adopt a resolution opposing an Irish settlement.

THE TONNAGE PROBLEM.

LONDON, June 21.

A sub-committee of the Unionist War Committee which has been considering the tonnage problem, recommends that a Ministry of Shipping be formed on the lines of the Ministry of Munitions.

KAISER PARDONS A BRITISH PRIVATE.

AMSTERDAM, June 21.

The Kaiser has pardoned Private Lonsdale, who had been condemned to death for insulting an officer at the prisoners-of-war camp at Doberitz.

DUTCH STEAMERS AGAIN USING SUEZ ROUTE.

AMSTERDAM, June 21.

The Nieuws van den Dagh states that the steamer Prinses Juliana, sailing for the East Indies to-day, resumes the Suez route.

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CRUSHING THE AUSTRIAN ARMY.

GROWING SUCCESS OF THE RUSSIANS.

TWO GERMAN DIVISIONS ALSO DEFEATED.

Petrograd, June 20.

The Russians are pursuing General Pflanzer's Army in the Bukovina most speedily, and covered 13 miles in a day.

It is reported that the Austro-Germans have sent reinforcements to the Russian south-western front from all other fronts.

General Kaledin is pressing westwards to the south of Vladimir Volynsk with the object of cutting the enemy's communications between Kovel and Lemberg. The extension of General Kaledin's eighty-mile front, southwards promises a junction with the Army operating in the direction of Lemberg from Brody.

ENEMY'S RIGHT FALLING BACK IN DISORDER.

Petrograd, June 20.

A communication says:—The enemy is continuing his furious counterattacks in many sectors of General Brusiloff's front.

In a fight on the River Stron on the 17th inst. 30 miles north-east of Lutsk, we took prisoner 3,253 officers and men and 17 machine-guns. In the Lokacz district we recaptured the guns lost to the Austrians during a great mass attack by the latter and took 1,200 prisoners and eight machine-guns.

The enemy is resisting desperately on the Strypa, north of Buczacz. The enemy's extreme right is falling back in disorder, and is being vigorously pursued. We occupied various villages on the River Sereth line.

On the Dvina front we are intensely bombarding the enemy positions at many points.

VON LINSINGEN BEATEN.

PARIS, June 20.

The Russians have defeated two German Divisions under General von Linsingen, to the west of Kolki. This is a most important success, as the Russians' advance toward Kovel has been hitherto held up here.

PFLANZER'S ARMY CUT IN TWO BY RUSSIANS.

Petrograd, June 21.

The Russians have cut General Pflanzer's Army in the Bukovina in two parts, driving one towards the Rumanian frontier and the other towards the Carpathians.

FIGHTING IN MESOPOTAMIA.

Petrograd, June 20.

A communication says:—In the direction of Bagdad we repulsed an infantry and cavalry offensive in the Sertup region with great loss to the enemy.

THE YERDUN REGION.

GERMAN NIGHT ATTACKS SMASHED.

PARIS, June 20.

To-day's communication says:—Three German night attacks to the north-west of Hill 321 were smashed by machine-guns and a curtain of fire. There was an intense bombardment in Vaux Wood and at Chateauvert.

THE BRITISH FRONT.

LONDON, June 21.

A communication says:—There has been mining activity and a reciprocal bombardment in the Loos sector, where last night we surprised and bombed a large hostile working party, inflicting numerous casualties.

LIVELY FIGHTING ON ITALIAN FRONT.

LONDON, June 21.

A communication says:—There has been lively fighting on the Italian front. Austrian counterattacks were defeated.

AUSTRIAN COUNTER-ATTACKS DEFEATED.

ROME, June 20.

A communication says:—There has been lively fighting to the north and north-east of Asiago where violent thunder storms increased the difficulties of progress. Enemy counterattacks were defeated. The Alpini took 200 prisoners.

Enemy night attacks on our new positions in the First Battle were driven off with loss.

BRITISH SUBMARINES IN THE BALTIC SEA.

NARRATIVES BY MR. RUDYARD KIPLING.

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LONDON, June 20.

In the first of three copyright articles based on Admiralty reports Mr. Rudyard Kipling describes the adventures of the submarines E9 and E7 in the Baltic Sea. The second article will be published on the 23rd inst. and third on the 26th inst.

The first article tells with inimitable power, the experiences of Commander Max Horton's submarine E9: how, led by an ice-breaker, she proceeded to a certain station in the Baltic in mid-winter, where she worked in a mixture of black ice and dirty ice-cream; how she manoeuvred in a heavy swell, making the keeping of depth difficult, towards an enemy destroyer and fired a torpedo; and then dipped to rise just afterward and find that the destroyer had disappeared.

The submarine afterwards went to bed in the chill dark while other destroyers sought her, and eventually returned to safety, with everything aboard frozen.

Mr. Kipling then describes how, in the summer-time, the submarine had often to go to bed by day while the Baltic Sea was like glass, and was rewarded at length by seeing two enemy battleships, escorted by destroyers, approaching at a fast speed. The submarine crept up, fired torpedoes from both tubes at the leading ship, and saw the first strike before the foremost funnel. Smoke and debris rose to the mast-head.

A destroyer immediately charged the submarine, which just escaped. The crew meanwhile heard the second torpedo strike and explode, and when the submarine rose to the surface a little later she found a destroyer waiting to pounce on her, but she just had time to see "one little nigger-boy" instead of two upon the waters before hastily re-sinking.

GREEK CABINET TO RESIGN.

ATHENS, June 20.

The *New Asy* announces that the resignation of the Skouloufis Cabinet will probably be announced to-day. The King has summoned M. Zaimis, but rumours are conflicting.

THE RECENT NAVAL BATTLE.

ADMIRAL JELLICOE'S REPORT.

LONDON, June 20.

In the House of Commons, Dr. Macnamara said that Admiral Sir John Jellicoe's despatch has not yet been received.

NAVAL HONOURS.

LONDON, June 20.

Admiral Sir John Jellicoe has been awarded the Grand Cross of the Victorian Order (G.C.V.O.) and Vice-Admiral Sir David Beatty has been appointed a Knight Commander of the Order (K.C.V.O.).

LORD FRENCH AND LORD KITCHENER.

HAD NOT ALWAYS SEEN EYE TO EYE.

LONDON, June 20.

In the House of Lords, Field-Marshal Viscount French of Ypres paid tribute to the late Lord Kitchener's unflinching efforts to supply his demands when he was commanding in France. He had not always seen eye to eye with Lord Kitchener, but diversions of opinion did not interfere with national interests. When he had reason to believe he would be selected as Chief-in-Command, he urged that Lord Kitchener should take his place, he serving as second-in-command, but Lord Kitchener, although then he had no idea of taking the Secretaryship of War, declined.

EAST AFRICA CAMPAIGN.

DESPATCH FROM GENERAL SMUTS.

LONDON, June 20.

The *Gazette* contains a despatch from General Smuts, who states that the German forces in East Africa number 18,000 of whom 2,000 are white troops, with 80 guns and 80 machine-guns. He pays high tribute to the work of all the members of his force, especially to General Dyer's preparations for the offensive and his loyal co-operation, and to Brigadier-General Van der Ventor's execution of a turning movement, "to which the rapidity of our success was undoubtedly due."

LORD KITCHENER'S SUCCESSOR.

LONDON, June 20.

Mr. Asquith, replying to a question in the House of Commons, said he could not make a statement regarding the appointment of a Secretary of State for War.

AMERICA AND MEXICO.

WASHINGTON, June 20.

A Note fully refusing General Carranza's demand for the withdrawal of the United States troops from Mexico has been handed to the Mexican Ambassador. The Note rebukes the Carranza Government for the dangerous tone and temper of the last communication.

GERMAN BRUTES AND FRENCH CAPTIVES.

WHAT IS THE OBJECT.

M. Galli, Deputy for Paris, returns again in the *Matin* to the subject of the ill-treatment of French prisoners.

There can be no question, he states, that French prisoners have been sent to Russia by the Germans. One of them writes: "We sleep on boards without straw, covering, or light, and we are going to build roads. The trouble is that up till the end we did not know our own destination, and brought no winter clothes."

M. Galli points out that these prisoners are exclusively members of liberal professions, or the intellectual class, and that they are being employed in the navy work, as was the case when prisoners were chosen for work in mines or on the Prussian marshes. The object is to make France give favoured treatment to certain privileged members of the German aristocracy who are prisoners in France. M. Galli points out that pressure has been brought on the French Government to divide the German prisoners into privileged and ordinary classes and to reserve special privileges and favours for the very people on whom rests the greater part of the responsibility for declaring war, as it was in their ranks that the apostles of Pan-Germanism were found. M. Galli writes: "The French Government has already protested, and has asked the Spanish Government to intervene. It is its right and duty to visit the special camps that have been improvised in Russia by the German Government, and to reserve a certain number of selected German prisoners should be warned that if their Government does not give up treating our prisoners as convicts the same fate awaits them shortly. A policy of delay and compromise is the worst possible in dealing with the Germans. The facts prove that the enemy regards our failure to give reciprocal treatment as weakness."

M. Galli points out two instances in which the threat of French reprisals has removed abuses. Money orders sent to French prisoners were being arbitrarily discounted, and the French Government warned Germany that after May 15, 30 per cent. would be deducted from the money sent to German prisoners in France. Durels and letters sent to French prisoners were also being held up in certain camps. The Germans pretending that their subjects prisoners in Togoland and the Cameroons were suffering similarly. Proof has been given that the delay was due only to transport difficulties, and the abuse in Germany has been remedied.

TREATMENT OF RUSSIANS.

The same question of the brutal treatment of prisoners by Germany is dealt with in the *Times* in the form of a manifesto that has come from Russian subjects who are prisoners in Germany. The food, these Russians state, is worse than would be given to pigs. The bread is half flour and half moss, sawdust and potatoes. Each man gets half a pound a day. For dinner there is soup, made of carrots and rotten beetroot, and for supper a little tepid water with a little flour in it. Only very occasionally do they get a scrap of sausage or half a herring. The prisoners have become emaciated and ill, and several have died. The barracks are kept in an appalling state of dirt, and the treatment is brutal in the extreme. Prisoners are struck on the face with the fist and with oxhide whips. Even the wounded are left to rot. The men are forced to work at degrading occupations. No letters or parcels are received from home. Some of the prisoners have been forced to work in the trenches, and even in the Krupp workshops, and several have been maimed or have disappeared. There have been many cases of suicide.

WAR LEADING.

UNEXPLOITED RESOURCES OF THE EMPIRE.

The Military Correspondent of "The Times," in an article on war organization, says:—

Now that Great Britain and our valiant Dominions are developing their great resources for the war, it is not surprising that the time has fully arrived to inquire whether the rest of the Empire is playing a part in consonance with its population and resources. We cannot feel that India has fully organized her great resources for the war, and made full use of anything like full use of her martial qualities and public spirit of her Princes and her people. India should have thrust the Germans out of Persia, have dominated Mesopotamia, defended Egypt and conquered East Africa, she should have imposed her will upon the East. She has done nothing of the kind, though the state of her finances and the spirit of her people might well be envied by considerable Powers. Africa similarly is filled with warlike tribes and races who love fighting, and from her millions might easily provide large forces of infantry fit for the attack.

Neither India nor Africa have yet been organized fully for war. We cannot put it lower than saying that we are almost as short of champions in war as we are in politics. If Rome for her great wars could place in line the legions from Britain, Illyria and Africa, and account these three among the choicest of her army, so we surely, from our much greater territory, should create French masses of troops to throw in the war. We are leaving great treasures unused, and as either the India nor the Colonial Offices have had sufficient imagination or driving power to exploit their unequalled resources for the purpose of war, the Government, the General Staff, take both in hand that better will be the success of our arms. Now that the rest of the Empire responds to the direction of the Imperial General Staff, there is no good reason why India and Africa should not be organized to play a part in the war.

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STEAMSHIP	CAPTAIN	LEAVING
HAITAN	Capt. J. S. Thompson	FRIDAY, 23rd June at 3 p.m.
HAIBONG	Capt. J. W. Evans	TUESDAY, 27th June at 3 p.m.
HAICHONG	Capt. W. C. Passmore	FRIDAY, 30th June at 2 p.m.

Arrivals and Departures from the Company's Wharf (near Blake Pier).

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THE Steamship "NYANZA", Captain J. J. GAUNT, carrying His Majesty's Mails will be despatched from this port on or about THURSDAY, the 29th June, 1916, taking Passengers and Cargo for the above ports. The a.s. "Nyman" will proceed through to Port Said, Marseilles and London.

Silk and Valuables for Bombay (under arrangement) will be transhipped at Colombo. The a.s. "Nyman" of the R.I.S.N. Co.

Parcels will be received at this Office until 4 p.m. the day before sailing. The contents and value of all packages are required.

For further particulars, apply to
E. V. D. PARR,
Acting Superintendent.

Hongkong, June 17, 1916.

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

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FROM EUROPE, COLOMBO AND STRAITS.

THE Company's Steamship, "SUWA MARU" having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk. The Consignees of Goods from Yokohama and Godown Consignees at Yokohama, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

Optional Goods will be carried on unless instructions are given to the contrary before Noon, To-day.

Goods not cleared by the 29th June, 1916, will be subject to rent.

Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignees, and the Co. is not responsible for any loss or damage to the Goods.

All claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here after which date they cannot be recognised. No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns.

CHINA MAIL S.S. CO., LTD. Agents.

Hongkong, June 19, 1916.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO, AND NAGASAKI, &c.

THE Steamship "CHINA" having arrived from the above ports Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their goods will be delivered from alongside.

Cargo Impeding discharge or remaining on board after THURSDAY, the 29th instant at 5 p.m. will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into the Company's Godown.

All broken, chafed, and damaged packages will be examined at the Company's Godown on SATURDAY the 24th instant. Claims against the steamer must be filed with the Company within 10 days of the arrival; otherwise they will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by CHINA MAIL S.S. Co., Ltd.

O. B. RITTER, Agent.

Hongkong, June 19, 1916.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

JAVA-PACIFIC LINE.

THE STEAMSHIP "NIKEMBANG" having arrived From SAN FRANCISCO

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby notified that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Consignees' Godown, unless otherwise instructed. Consignees of the Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd., whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns and all Goods remaining undischarged after the 30th June, will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underwriter on or before the 20th June or they will not be recognised.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns where they will be examined on the 24th May by the Company's surveyors, Messrs. Goddard and Douglas.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JAYA-CHINA JAPAN LINE.

JAYA-PACIFIC LINE, Managing Agents.

Hongkong, June 19, 1916.

THE "CHINA MAIL"

Can be obtained at the following places in Hongkong—

The Hongkong Ferry Office, The Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd., The Kowloon Ferry Office.

The King's Park Ferry, The Upper Park Ferry, The Lower Park Ferry, The Upper Park Ferry, The Lower Park Ferry.

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To-day's Advertisements

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY,
the 28th June, 1916, commencing at 2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 5, Des Vaux Road, Corner of Lee House Street.

A QUANTITY OF VALUABLE TEAKWOOD AND BLACKWOOD FURNITURE.

As follows:—
Upholstered Suites, Arm-chairs and Sofas, Card Tables, Bedroom Furniture, Twin Bedstead Teakwood Box Mattresses, Double Brass-mounted Bedstead, Sideboard, Dinner Waggon, Extension Dining Tables and Chairs, Tea and Occasional Tables, etc., etc. Large Dining Services, Crockery, Glass Ware including Cut-glass, Cooking Stoves, Cutlery, Toilet Sets, Ice Chests, etc., Bath Room Tiles, etc., a quantity of Good Electro Plate.

Also
One "Caille" Portable Motor with Battery, etc., complete, 2 Pianos in good condition. Electric Reading Lamp, Blackwood and Teakwood Screens, a quantity of Blackwood Furniture, Pictures, Engravings, a few Oil Paintings, Bath Tubs, a number of Indian Carpets and Rugs, a number of Rolls of Mattings, etc. (New), and a quantity of Brass Ware.

And
A Choice Selection of Brass Jardinières, Vases, Ivory Figures, Japanese Tea Sets.

Also
A few lots of Rentwood Chairs (New), Bath Towels, etc.
(Full Particulars from Catalogue.)

TERMS—Cash.

HUGHES & HOUGH,
Auctioneers.
Hongkong, June 22, 1916.

THE "CHINA MAIL"

NOTICE.

Communications relating to news should be addressed to THE EDITOR.

Correspondents must forward their names and addresses with any communication addressed to the Editor, not necessarily for publication but as evidence of good faith.

All matter for publication should be written on one side of the paper only.

Letters relating to business should be addressed to THE MANAGER.

Rate of subscription to "China Mail" is per annum; per quarter and per month "pro rata".

The "China Mail" is delivered free to subscribers in Hongkong and Kowloon.

Postage is charged at the rate of a penny per month.

Orders for extra copies of the "China Mail" should be sent as soon as possible as the supply is limited. Cash 10 cts., Credit 25 cts., per copy.

Rate of subscription to the "Overland China Mail" is \$12 per annum; postage \$1 per annum extra. Single copies twenty cents each.

Advertisements and notices to advertisements on pages 3, 4, and 7 should be sent to the Office, No. 5, Wyndham Street, not later than 11.30 a.m.

Advertisements and notices to advertisements on pages 1, 4, 5 and 8 should be sent to the Office, not later than 1 p.m.

New advertisements should be sent in before 2 p.m.

Advertisements and notices to advertisements which are not ordered for a fixed period will be continued until countermanded.

Telephone Address "Man" Hongkong, Code: A.B.C. 5th Edition.

Telephone No. 22.

THE CHINA MAIL, LIMITED.

HONGKONG TIDES.

The tide-table given below has been compiled at the Hydrographic Office in London from the results of the analysis of observations taken by means of an automatic tide-recording machine in the Water Police Basin at Victoria Harbour during the years 1887-93.

The zero of the table corresponds with the zero of the sounding in the Admiralty Chart, which has been found to be 5 feet 8 inches below mean sea level.

To obtain the depth of water on the tide gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard add 4 feet 4 inches, and on the gauge at Lamou Dock, Aberdeen, add 10 feet 6 inches to the height given in the table.

June 22nd to 29th, 1916.

High Water	Low Water
Time	Time
Height	Height

Temperature

Barometer	Thermometer
Time	Time
Reading	Reading

Hongkong, June 22, 1916.

Barometer

Thermometer

Hongkong, June 22, 1916.

Barometer

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Neck and Legs. Used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Now Quite Well. Also Healed Eczema on Baby.

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SHIPPING

ARRIVALS

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WEATHER REPORT

On the 22nd at noon—The northern depression has passed into the Pacific. The southern depression is stationary. Another depression is shown over central China. An anticyclone is well established over the Borneo Islands.

Pressure has increased slightly over Japan, Formosa and the Philippines; it has decreased slightly at Shanghai, and is steady over Indo-China.

Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.15 inches. Total since January 1st, 31.37 inches, against an average of 34.70 inches.

Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon on the 23rd June.

1.—Hongkong to Cap Rock: S. E. winds, moderate; shower.

2.—Formosa Channel: S. E. winds, moderate; fine.

3.—South coast of China between Hongkong and Lamock: The same as No. 1.

4.—South coast of China between Hongkong and Hainan: The same as No. 1.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

IN RADIO-TELEGRAPH COMMUNICATION.

Ships in communication with Cape D'Agulhas Radio Telegraph Station:—

Antiochus Katori Maru City of Vienna

INWARD MAILS.

SIBERIAN MAIL—Per s.s. Sinkiang, London May 28.

SINGAPORE—Per s.s. Chakrata, June 25.

EUROPE (VIA NAGAPATAN)—Per steamer Atsuta Maru, June 26.

LITERATURE FOR THE ARMY AND NAVY.

Magazines and paper bound books will be accepted for transmission free of charge to the British Naval and Military Forces.

No other articles can be accepted without prepayment of postage.

BOOK POST TO RUSSIA.

Books in boards and bound books can again be accepted for transmission by post to Russia.

The Services to Germany, Austria, Bulgaria and the Ottoman Empire are suspended.

Correspondence addressed to enemy subjects in China, Siam, Liberia, Portuguese East Africa, Persia and Morocco cannot be transmitted.

Mails will close for:—

SAIGON.

Per Doreat, at 5 a.m., on Friday, the 23rd June.

JAPAN VIA KOBE.

Per Asahi Maru, at 9 a.m., on Friday, the 23rd June.

BANGKOK.

Per Doreat, at 11 a.m., on Friday, the 23rd June.

SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHEW.

Per Asahi Maru, at 1 p.m., on Friday, the 23rd June.

STRAITS, BURMAH & INDIA VIA CALCUTTA.

Per Asahi Maru, at 2 p.m., on Friday, the 23rd June.

FORT BAYARD.

Per Asahi Maru, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 23rd June.

BATAVIA, SAMARANG, SOERABAYA & PORT MORESBY (VIA BATAVIA).

Per Asahi Maru, at 11 a.m., on Saturday, the 24th June.

SWATOW & BANGKOK.

Per Doreat, at 11 a.m., on Saturday, the 24th June.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Per Asahi Maru, at 2 p.m., on Saturday, the 24th June.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, BATAVIA, SAMARANG, SOERABAYA & PORT MORESBY (VIA BATAVIA).

Per Asahi Maru, at 4 p.m., on Saturday, the 24th June.

WEIHAIWEI & TIENTSIN.

Per Asahi Maru, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 24th June.

SHARE REPORT.

JUNE 22ND, 1916.

Stock and paid up Value

Options 11.30 A.M.

Last Dividend and date

Return based on last year's div.

BANKS.

Hongkong & S'hai \$125 \$783 a.

Div. 24th and bonus 1/2 s/c 1915

8 1/2 p.c.

MARINE INSURANCE.

Cantons Insurance Co. \$30 \$400

North China Insurance Co. \$25 T. 175

Union Insurance Co. \$100 \$910

Final of 1915 and bonus \$10 a/c 1915. Interim of 1916 and bonus \$10 a/c 1916. Final of 1916 and bonus \$10 a/c 1916.

8 1/2 p.c.

Yonghe Insurance Co. \$50 \$340

Final of 1915 and bonus \$10 a/c 1915. Interim of 1916 and bonus \$10 a/c 1916. Final of 1916 and bonus \$10 a/c 1916.

8 1/2 p.c.

FIRE INSURANCE.

China Fire Insurance Co. \$20 \$158

Hongkong Fire Insurance Co. \$20 \$375 b.

Div. 24th and bonus 1/2 s/c 1915

8 1/2 p.c.

SHIPPING.

Douglas Steamships \$60 \$182 b.

Steamships Co. \$15 \$214 b.

Indo-China (Preferred) \$40 b.

(Deferred) \$124 b.

"Shell" Transport \$1 102/ b.

"Star Ferry" \$10 \$334 a.

Div. 24th and bonus 1/2 s/c 1915

8 1/2 p.c.

BEFINERIES.

China Sugar Refining Co. \$100 \$113 b.

Malacca Sugar Refining Co. \$100 \$37 b.

Div. 24th and bonus 1/2 s/c 1915

8 1/2 p.c.

MINING.

Kailash Mining Co. \$1 37/ b.

Langkai Mining Co. \$1 10 T. 27 b.

Rauta Mining Co. \$1 \$2.90 a.

Trench Mines \$1 40/ b.

Ural Caspian \$1 32/8 b.

Div. 24th and bonus 1/2 s/c 1915

8 1/2 p.c.

DOCKS, WHARVES AND GODOWNS.

Kowloon Wharves & Godowns \$50 \$81 b.

H.K. & Whampoa Docks \$50 \$121 a.

Div. 24th and bonus 1/2 s/c 1915

8 1/2 p.c.

SHANGHAI DOCKS T. 100 T. 754

Hongkong Wharves T. 100 T. 82

Div. 24th and bonus 1/2 s/c 1915

8 1/2 p.c.

HOTELS, LANDS AND BUILDINGS.

Hongkong Hotels \$50 1004 a.

Central Hotels \$100 \$98 a.

Hongkong Lands \$100 \$1014 b.

Humphreys Estates \$10 \$84 b.

Kowloon Lands \$50 \$38

West Point \$50 \$86 a.

Shanghai Lands T. 50 T. 95

Div. 24th and bonus 1/2 s/c 1915

8 1/2 p.c.

COTTON MILLS.

Ewoe \$100 T. 50 T. 1374 b.

Shanghai Cottons T. 50 T. 92 b.

Div. 24th and bonus 1/2 s/c 1915

8 1/2 p.c.

Kung Yik \$10 T. 10 T. 134 b.

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